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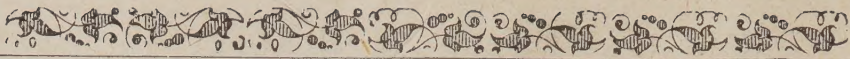
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CONDITIONS OF SALE AS USUAL. A Copy is  
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LOT

- 1 Antique cut-glass bottle, 3 ditto knife rests, 2 ditto spoons, blue-and-white strainer, and an old table fan in case
- 2 Pair of old bronze stirrups, pair of ditto spurs, and a powder flask
- 3 Seven silver and other wine labels, and 5 other pieces
- 4 Antique bronze bell in shape of a lady, statuette Napoleon, small dagger, and a brass candlestick
- 5 "Bessie Bell and Mary Grey," curious chap book with coloured plate, and 11 others in one vol., and the "Seven Mistresses," dated 1702
- 6 Antique snuff box with gilt inlay, small carved wood plique, and 2 other pieces
- 7 Two fine old wood figures, carved and gilded
- 8 Antique gold miniature frame and a miniature on ivory in gold setting
- 9 Japanese stencils, 100 facsimile illustrations, and 6 pamphlets on Eastern subjects
- 10 Four pieces of old Benares brass work



- 11 Collection of old valentines, now rare, in an album
- 12 Twelve old Japanese books with coloured and other illustrations
- 13 Four Japanese books of designs and 7 others
- 14 Grammar of Japanese Ornaments in 4 numbers, complete, with 58 plates, some in colours and gold
- 15 Two old Elizabethan grey beard jugs
- 16 Miniature mahogany chest of drawers
- 17 Ditto
- 18 Two miniature chairs with rush-bottom seats, and a ditto whatnot
- 19 Collection of old parchment deeds from the reign of James I.
- 20 Number of old Japanese colour prints
- 21 Collection of early maps in colours, by Bleau Speed, etc.
- 22 Collection of early newspapers, London and various towns
- 23 Fur set of natural black musquash, tie and muff
- 24 Antique box, a shrine case, and an old wood carving
- 25 Twelve old coloured maps, including Arras, dated 1651, others of Namur, Cambrai, dated 1710, etc.
- 26 Album of old coloured and other engravings
- 27 Four old silhouettes
- 28 Napoleon gold piece, Italy 40-lire, dated 1812
- 29 Two Victorian Gothic crowns, 1847, crown piece, Charles III. and William III.
- 30 *Collection of rare interesting items relating to the Post, letters of peers with specimens of signature for franking letters, original envelopes with early unperforated stamps, letter re gumming stamps signed by Sir Rowland Hill, in album*
- 31 Pair of plated fish servers, silver mounted
- 32 Kruger pound and half-sovereign of George III.
- 33 Four gold coins, U.S., and 6 silver coins



- 34 Forty old silver coins
- 35 Six old silhouettes
- 36 Very fine old mezzotint, dated 1787, gilt frame
- 37 Old Japanese pottery vase
- 38 Album of original drawings, 18th and early 19th centuries
- 39 Pair of old Delft drug jars
- 40 Parcel of old Japanese colour prints, by Kuni-sade, etc.
- 41 Mahogany case containing a number of silver medals, Anne, George I., etc.
- 42 Album of Japanese prints
- 43 Collection of books relating to Old London, City Companies, etc.
- 44 Parcel of old parchments from James I.
- 45 Patent granted by Charles I., with his Great Seal attached, and embellished with a portrait in sepia
- 46 State document signed by Charles II.
- 47 Two original drawings, attributed to Gainsborough
- 48 Twelve best stories in the English language, with autographs of authors inserted
- 49 Two Worcester cups (blue and white), old Staffordshire mug, and 5 other pieces
- 50 Fifteen very fine Japanese colour prints
- 50a *Real ermine lady's tie*

### Engravings.

- 51 The Fern Gatherers, by Smith after G. Morland
- 52 A Stable Interior, by Smith after Morland
- 53 The Cottage Fireside, by Barnard after Morland
- 54 The Gamester, by Ward after Peters
- 55 A Sailor in Port, by Knight after Singleton
- 56 A Shipwrecked Sailor Boy, by Gangain after Bigg
- 57 A Storm in Harvest, by Meadows after Westall



- 58 A Philosopher Lecturing on the Orrery, by Wright after Pether
- 59 Cornelia of the Gracchi, by Bartolozzi after Titian
- 60 Mrs. Siddons as the Tragic Muse, after Reynolds
- 61 Mrs. Farren, after Reynolds
- 62 Portrait—Hely Hutchinson, by Turner after Corbett
- 63 Portrait—Hon. Chas. Montagu, by Smith after Kneller
- 64 Master Lambton, after Lawrence
- 65 Three Cherubs, after Reynolds
- 66 Cleopatra and Antony, by Burke after Kauffman
- 67 Landscape and Figures, by Westall
- 68 A figure subject in red, by Bartolozzi
- 69 The Racehorse—"Escape"
- 70 A figure subject, after Greuze, and another—Cupid
- 71 Two Children and Dog in landscape, and Ann Page
- 72 Proof, after Meissonier, by E. Chicquet

### **Ivory Carvings.**

- 73 Ivory figure—God of Plenty holding a fan and carrying bag
- 74 *Finely carved ivory group—Goddess seated on a fish and figure carrying rake*
- 75 An ivory figure—Warrior holding a spear
- 76 *Finely carved ivory figure—Geisha girl cutting flowers*
- 77 An ivory figure with tortoises, etc.
- 78 Large ivory group—Gardener and two children
- 79 Ditto group—Fisherman carrying basket of fish and two children
- 80 Another group—Gardener and two children
- 81 Finely carved ivory cigarette case



- 82 A similar cigarette case
  - 83 A roin. shrine with carved figure of Buddha, carved all over with dragons, Ho Ho birds, figures, etc., on black and gold wood stand
  - 84 Fine quality ivory group—Japanese Lady with children on rocks
  - 85 An ivory figure with samisen
  - 86 Two figures—Man feeding chicken, and a gardener with basket of fruit
  - 87 *Exceptionally fine ivory figure—Fisherman with basket of fish*
  - 88 A bridge of carved ivory elephants on stand
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- 89 Three Chinese carved amethyst pendants
- 90 A similar lot
- 91 A similar lot
- 92 Three Chinese carved pendants
- 93 A similar lot
- 94 A similar lot
- 95 An amber necklet
- 96 Antique Chinese lacquer jewel casket
- ✓ 97 Fine old English teapoy, top inlaid mother-o'-pearl, and painted
- ✓ 98 Chinese cabinet, lacquered red, hand-painted interior, barrel shape, on stand
- ✓ 99 China basket centre piece with handle
- ✓ 100 *Georgian umbrella with ivory handle, whalebone ribs, silk cover ; splendid condition*

### English & Continental China, Bronzes, etc.

- ✓ 101 A particularly fine old opal glass jug, with handle of jade green colour, and the pair of goblets en suite
- ✓ 102 Pair of old English heavily cut glass decanters, of rare quality, with the stoppers
- ✓ 103 Pair of solid bronze and marble tazzas, with Amorini decoration



- ✓ 104 Large papier mache tea tray, with gold decoration
- ✓ 105 An early English mahogany work table with drawers
- ✓ 106 Beautifully carved ivory panel, enclosed in gilt case
- ✓ 107 Black lac workbox, inlaid mother-o'-pearl
- ✓ 108 Ditto, finely formed, with elaborate Chinese decoration
- ✓ 109 Fine old mahogany newspaper rack, having turned rails and fretwork panels
- ✓ 110 Rare old Worcester breakfast service, finely painted in flowers (50 pieces)
- ✓ 111 Pair of richly chased alms dishes
- ✓ 112 Louis XV. ormolu watch stand, and pair of cut glass flower tubes on hall-marked silver stands
- ✓ 113 Cleverly carved ivory figure of Christ on ebony crucifix
- ✓ 114 Antique needlework picture, framed
- ✓ 115 Early English steel and ormolu serpentine fender with implements
- ✓ 116 Carved Louis XVI. style boudoir or display table, with shaped and polished plate-glass top
- ✓ 117 Three red lac boxes, lac bowl, and 2 lac spill boxes
- ✓ 118 Early English lac card tray, painted in flowers with ormolu handle, and a lac box with Chinese decoration
- ✓ 119 Three rare old cut glass beer mugs
- ✓ 120 Two early Italian faience stands and a ditto plaque
- ✓ 121 Dresden vase and cover, handsomely painted in colours
- ✓ 122 Polished cocoanut on brass stand, a blue on white Wedgwood dish, and a carved stone Chinese figure
- ✓ 123 Early Chinese porcelain teapot, in basket cosey
- ✓ 124 Pair of cabinet size photo frames in bronze and ormolu



- ✓ 125 A 20-in. Elkington plate dish cover
- ✓ 126 Pair of wooden pedestals with jesso decoration
- ✓ 127 Bracelet of 11 real opals
- ✓ 128 Diamond ring, set with 3 brilliants of excellent quality
- ✓ 129 Old Lowestoft china tea set, with armorials
- ✓ 130 Pair of beautifully modelled Dresden groups
- ✓ 131 Rare old cut glass fruit dish on massive solid bronze stand
- ✓ 132 Diamond pendant
- ✓ 133 Handsome pair of ormolu pillar 4-light candelabra, on tripod feet
- ✓ 134 Old English cut and engraved glass rose bowl on bronze tripod stand
- ✓ 135 Very cleverly carved antique Burmese table
- ✓ 136 Rare carved sandal-wood figure of Burmese goddess, 40in. high
- ✓ 137 Pair of antique Benares vases, 18in. high
- ✓ 138 Pair of bronze Benares vases with covers
- ✓ 139 Antique Benares vase and bowl
- ✓ 140 Very fine Chinese bronze stand, supporting a rare glass bowl exquisitely decorated in lac
- ✓ 141 Pair of very rare old Satsuma vases (2ft. high), with handles in the form of birds
- ✓ 142 Exceptionally fine pair of antique bronze and sienna marble 4-light candelabra
- ✓ 143 Pair of very rare white Dresden reticulated compotiers
- ✓ 144 Beautiful old Staffs openwork fruit dish, skilfully painted in flowers
- ✓ 145 Cloisonne vase, famille verte bowl, small Dresden plate, and 2 small old Chinese bowls
- ✓ 146 Old turquoise Bohemian glass vase (most rare)
- ✓ 147 Inkstand on ormolu tray, 3 openwork plates, pair of wickerwork flower tubes, and very old Dresden plaque
- ✓ 148 Choice old Chinese plaque, with birds and flowers in gold and colours



- ✓ 149 Early Chinese blue on white pilgrim bottle
- ✓ 150 Rare old Chinese pilgrim bottle
- ✓ 151 Antique Persian brass incense sprinkler (very fine shape)

### **A Collection of Choice Carved Ivories.**

- ✓ 152 Man feeding bird with fish ( $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. high) and the stand
  - ✓ 153 Man with tortoise (5in. high) and the stand
  - ✓ 154 Group of 3 figures, acrobats (5in. high) and the stand
  - ✓ 155 Man with book and fan ( $4\frac{3}{4}$ in. high) and the stand
  - ✓ 156 Man carrying basket and a boy ( $4\frac{1}{4}$ in. high) and the stand
  - ✓ 157 Man carrying fish ( $3\frac{3}{4}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 158 Man with basket, boy and bird (4in. high) and the stand
  - 159 Man with sunshade ( $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 160 Man with scythe, bag on back (5in. high), and the stand
  - ✓ 161 Man with boy and musical instrument (4in. high) and the stand
  - 162 Group of 3 figures (4in. high) and the stand
  - 163 Man with axe, carrying faggots (5in.), and the stand
  - 164 Boatman with boy (4in. high) and the stand
  - 165 Man carrying basket (4in. high) and the stand
  - 166 Group of 3 figures ( $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 167 Group of 2 figures (4in. high) and the stand
  - ✓ 168 Group of 3 figures, acrobats (5in. high) and the stand
  - ✓ 169 Man with pagoda ( $4\frac{3}{4}$ in. high) and the stand
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- ✓ 170 Early Chinese blue on white bowl, and 2 saucers
  - 171 Old Satsuma stand, decoration in gold and colours



- ✓ 172 Chinese plaque, a plate, 4 others, 2 Spode  
tureens, 3 Doulton jugs
- ✓ 173 Walnut wood inkstand with drawer, and 2  
cut glass inkwells, and 4 pieces of white  
porcelain
- ✓ 174 Old Sheffield candlestick with old bell-shaped  
glass shade, on base of heavy cut crystal  
glass
- ✓ 175 Pair of antique Spanish terra-cotta decorated  
figures, exceptionally finely modelled
- ✓ 176 Chippendale mahogany banner screen with  
coat of arms, illuminated on vellum and  
framed
- ✓ 177 Pair of very early French enamel candlesticks  
and a pair of old brass ditto
- ✓ 178 Hague lustre cup and saucer, and an Amster-  
dam lustre sugar basin and butter dish  
(marked)
- ✓ 179 Pair of Delft specimen flower stands and a  
Delft vase
- ✓ 180 Pair of Chinese blue on white vases and  
covers, very beautiful colour (2oin. high)

### **Miniatures on Ivory.**

- ✓ 181 Military portrait, framed
  - ✓ 182 Clever portrait of gentleman
  - ✓ 183 Lady with bird, in ormolu frame
  - ✓ 184 Lady with jug, in ormolu frame
  - 185 Portrait of famous beauty, framed
  - 186 *Exceedingly clever portrait of gentleman, in ormolu  
frame*
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- 187 Three old English bead purses
  - 188 Pair of old English cut glass flower tubes, on  
marble bases
  - 189 Very fine early Chinese bowl and cover, with  
massive ormolu mounts
  - 190 Antique wine goblet, old Waterford glass salt  
cellar, old china figure, pair of crystal glass  
knife rests, and 12 other items of old glass



- 191 Solid cast brass lamp, fitted electric
- 192 Another to match
- 193 Fine old Persian heavily cut glass hookah,  
solid bronze fittings
- 194 Solid bronze candlestick
- 195 Fine old Chippendale mirror, with carved and  
gilt surmount
- 196 Antique brass oil lamp, on onyx base and  
pillar
- 197 Chippendale carved mahogany easel and a  
studio ditto
- 198 Collection of old English cast iron door stops
- 199 Proof engraving—Fairy Tales, after W. C. T.  
Dobson, A.R.A., by J. J. Chant, in gilt frame
- 200 Very fine massive antique ormolu 12-light  
Louis chandelier (in perfect condition)
- 201 A rare Dyak short sword with elaborately  
carved handle and fitted with a fine old  
German blade with armourer's mark and  
dated 1774, in horn-mounted wooden sheath
- ✓ 202 A fine specimen Malay kris
- ✓ 203 A Pasha's scimitar in elaborate silver and  
enamel scabbard, the hilt of ivory with silver  
ram's head guards and terminal; a fine and  
rare specimen
- ✓ 204 A rare old wheel-lock, finely engraved
- ✓ 205 A Claymore
- ✓ 206 Curious long-barrelled rifle with inlaid butt  
and brass mounted
- ✓ 207 *Rare dancing mask of unusual character, fitted with  
deer's antlers and gold cased*
- ✓ 208 A finely carved jade boat and carved wood  
stand
- ✓ 209 Two animals in carved jade and stand for  
same
- ✓ 210 A carved jade horse and carved wood stand
- ✓ 211 A beautifully carved amethyst horse of fine  
colour and carved wood stand for same



- ✓ 212 Two finely carved amethyst pendants
- ✓ 213 Two ditto
- ✓ 214 Two ditto
- ✓ 215 Curious old tapestry picture of a saint in frame
- ✓ 216 Six old sweet-toned clock bells
- ✓ 217 Two old wax miniatures in frames
- ✓ 218 Old oil painting—Fruit
- ✓ 219 Sixteen rows of bead, onyx, coral, etc.
- ✓ 220 Four curious old flintlock pistols
- ✓ 221 Pair of important carved wood Ming pictures
- ✓ 222 A silver-mounted dagger
- ✓ 223 A rare old Burmese carved ivory figure
- ✓ 224 Three enamel watch dials
- ✓ 225 Four silver medals
- ✓ 226 A silver tray and 3 cups and 3 spoons; fine repousse work
- ✓ 227 Silver cup and spoon
- 228 Miniature portrait—Lady Hamilton, in carved and gilt frame.
- 229 A finely painted miniature on ivory—Child and bird, by F. Rochand, 1829, in ormolu mount and leather case
- ✓ 230 *Exquisite enamel portrait of a young man, by J. T. Mitchell, R.A., exhibited at Royal Academy, 1824, in finely chased ormolu mount and carved and gilt frame; a fine specimen of this celebrated enameller and painter's work*
- ✓ 231 A fine bronze—The Italian Boy
- ✓ 232 Three blue-ground Rockingham vases
- ✓ 233 Two curious Oriental vases (A.F.)
- ✓ 234 Portrait—E. Long, R.A.
- ✓ 235 Quantity of oddments, shells, etc., in leather case
- ✓ 236 Two well-modelled anchors
- ✓ 237 Two pictures
- ✓ 238 Curious Indian hanging and 3 items
- ✓ 239 Five curious native implements



- ✓ 240 Carved ivory figure (A.F.)
- ✓ 241 Miniature portrait of a lady in ormolu mount
- ✓ 242 Two finely painted miniatures—Philip and Mary, in ormolu mounts
- ✓ 243 *Beautiful aquamarine brooch, surrounded by diamonds*
- ✓ 244 *Hair ornament in shape of sword, set with diamonds and other stones*
- ✓ 245 Gold bracelet set with stones
- ✓ 246 Plain curb ditto, with padlock
- ✓ 247 Ormolu box with miniature
- ✓ 248 Ivory figure (Nelson) on stand and mother-o'-pearl box
- ✓ 249 Fine diamond and turquoise gipsy ring, mounted 18-ct. gold
- ✓ 250 Silver and enamel watch expanding bracelet

### **Japanese Lacquer Work, Carvings, etc.**

- ✓ 251 Two round lac card trays, inlaid with silver dragons
- ✓ 252 Large oblong tray, decorated in silver butterflies
- ✓ 253 Ditto inlaid, with large silver dragon
- 254 Another decorated in storks, etc.
- 255 Two oblong trays, inlaid with flowers in colours
- 256 Six pierced fans
- 257 Two oriental figures of Buddha
- 258 Rare carved ivory group—Shoki and devils
- 259 Another group—Five devils
- 260 *Very fine large ivory group—Goddess and figures*
- 261 Long chain agate necklet
- 262 Ditto
- 263 Four necklets, various
- 264 Very fine Japanese lacquer box, with panel lid decorated with eagle in gold lac, with black and gold tray inside and basket work, etc.



- ✓ 265 Rare carved wood figure—Shoki holding sword
- ✓ 266 Large silvered model of a tiger, and wood stand
- ✓ 267 Small ditto
- ✓ 268 Collection of 50 old Japanese coloured prints

### **Satsuma Ware.**

- ✓ 269 Old Satsuma tea set of 9 pieces
- ✓ 270 Four Satsuma bowls and frog mug
- ✓ 271 Four fine quality Satsuma egg cups
- ✓ 272 Royal Satsuma incense burner and stand (signed)
- ✓ 273 Two miniature royal Satsuma incense burners and stands (signed)
- ✓ 274 Satsuma incense burner, with metal cover on stand
- ✓ 275 Satsuma bowl, painted inside 1,000 butterflies
- ✓ 276 Pair of Agate glass vases and an old Chelsea leaf dish
- ✓ 277 Pair of Satsuma vases and pair miniature ditto
- ✓ 278 French pot pourri vase and pair of Derby dessert plates (A.F. 1 plate)

### **Oriental Weapons and Curios.**

- ✓ 279 Collection of 12 curious African daggers and knives
- ✓ 280 Carved club of solid rhino horn, from East Africa
- ✓ 281 African pottery bowl, New Guinea limepot, ditto knife with European blade, and ditto pillow
- ✓ 282 Idol from Mexico
- ✓ 283 Two fine Indian hill tribe battle axes
- ✓ 284 Two ditto axes
- ✓ 285 Indian rajar's baton solid silver, chased and gilt
- ✓ 286 Curious Indian damascened double katar, one fitting on the other



- ✓ 287 Indian battle axe, the haft of brass  
 ✓ 288 Battle mace, with ball and spike head  
 ✓ 289 Four small Malay daggers  
 357-290 Indian hide shield, with ornamental brass decoration  
 407-291 Indian short sword with hand guard, the blade engraved with figures  
 ✓ 292 Curious flintlock Eastern gun, with chased mounts  
 237-293 Indian hill tribe matchlock gun — £1.8.0 - Russell  
 257-294 Ditto gun — £1.8.0 "  
 357-295 Curious old matchlock gun, the barrel inlaid £1.8.0 "  
 ✓ 296 Ditto gun  
 ✓ 297 Old French dagger with engraved blade, in ornamental sheath  
 ✓ 298 Fine Persian spear head and another with double blade  
 ✓ 299 Persian steel battle axe, engraved and inlaid  
 ✓ 300 Old flintlock Waterloo musket  
 ✓ 301 Ditto musket  
 ✓ 302 Antique flintlock pistol, the butt inlaid  
 ✓ 303 Four old Japanese swords  
 ✓ 304 Fine Nepalese sacrificial knife, the blade decorated with the Buddhist symbol of the human eye  
 257-305 Old Turkish horn bow of large proportions, and bundle of arrows (245 lbs)  
 ✓ 306 Fine war gong of hammered iron, from West Africa  
 ✓ 307 Old Japanese sword in carved ivory sheath  
 137-308 Three guns 21158  
 ✓ 309 Four old Japanese swords  
 ✓ 310 Three Indian swords  
 ✓ 311 Antique Indian hide shield, with ornamental bosses  
 307-312 Large ancient Saracenic wood board, with carved Cufic inscription - £3.0.0 with  
 ✓ 313 Flintlock small blunderbuss, barrel decorated with raised silver work



- 314 *Curious Chinese gun, with barrel and mounts inlaid with silver*
- ✓ 315 957-? Chinese mandarin's helmet of gilt hide
- ✓ 316 Indian temple chain of bronze, figures of deities, &c., at intervals
- ✓ 317 Ancient Indian black stone temple carving or talisman, set with stones
- ✓ 318 957-? Elizabethan morion in exceptionally fine preservation, exceptionally high combe
- ✓ 319 Turkish yataghan from the Balkans
- 320 *American sword of honour or patriotic sword, scabbard and blade engraved with American emblems and motto on blade, "E. plunibus unum"*
- ✓ 321 Officer's regulation infantry sword, Peninsular period
- ✓ 322 Officer's regulation infantry sword Peninsular and Waterloo period (the shell guard has been added later)
- ✓ 323 Ditto (no scabbard or shield)
- ✓ 324 Court sword, William IV., by Moore of Bond Street
- ✓ 325 Early Victorian court sword, by Buckmaster, with sword knot

**The First Portion of a Collection of Old Native Currency, now very rare and unobtainable.**

**African Section.**

- ✓ 326 Iron carving in the form of a huge spear head (Ngbele), used for buying wives. Lokele, Lomaimi River, Congo

257- 327 Belgian Congo—2 currency spears - 2-7-6-1

328 Ditto, ditto, different types 21085 21160

329 French Congo—spear, all iron 21160

✓ 330 Welli District—copper Hoe money

✓ 331 Two pieces of iron Hoe money—Congo

✓ 332 Two pieces of Celt money



✓ 333

Two Congo copper currency knives

334

S. Nigeria—large brass currency spear

335

Two iron knives, used only as money

336

S.W. Africa—Iron "axe" money

337

Ditto, string of large shell and wood cylinders - 12.10.0

338

Massive copper ring money from Bonny and pieces of "Manilla" ring money — Old Calabar

339

Very rare string of large discs of land snail shells - 3.5.0

340

Specimens of "armlet" money, ivory and metal - 3.0.0

✓ 341

Mendiland iron money (Kissi), 4 specimens various

342

Piece of Bushango currency matting, and a currency mat 9970

343

Series of African shell currency, mounted 18296

344

Tingoise agate currency beads, Monbuttu money, etc., mounted

✓ 345

Tobacco block from East Africa and a coil of S. Congo tobacco, both used for barter

346

Specimens of raw rubber—Guaququil (Brazil), and Congo, Belgian, and Portuguese 11.10.0

347

Box of various currency pieces - 2.10.0

(NOTE.—The second portion of this Collection—Eastern, American, and Oceania—will be included in a later sale.)

✓ 348

A finely carved New Zealand hand club

✓ 349

Two knives made of human bone, and 3 adze blades of shell form—Malecula Island, New Hebrides

✓ 350

Three sling stones from New Caledonia

✓ 351

Pair of Japanese swords (Daisho) in lacquer sheaths

✓ 352

Two Japanese short swords (one in lacquer sheath) and an Sudanese sword in leather

✓ 353

Long Japanese sword (Katani) with good blade



- ✓ 354 Sword by Fromin in scabbard with leather belt, two swords by Wilkinson, and a Crimean bayonet
- ✓ 355 Pair of small metal tazzas on ebonised plinths, pair of brass candlesticks, metal ornament, and a carved wood fan holder
- ✓ 356 Pair of carved wood stilts. Marquesas Is.
- ✓ 357 Two small French miniatures on ivory, unframed, and an interesting document—French Empire awarding medal for services rendered in Crimea, 1854/6
- ✓ 358 Miniature set of 7 pieces — replicas of mediæval armour
- ✓ 359 Finely carved ivory group of 8 elephants crossing bridge, on black wood stand
- ✓ 360 Well-finished carved ivory group—Man with children peeling fruit, with stand
- ✓ 360a Small ivory carving—Woman and child

### **Old English Metal Work, Stained Glass, Etc.**

- ✓ 361 An old English copper urn
- ✓ 362 Ditto
- ✓ 363 Ditto
- ✓ 364 Ten pewter tankards, coffee pot, teapot, hot water jug, ewer, mustard, and 2 salts
- ✓ 365 Antique bucket, bronze Christ, and 5 articles
- ✓ 366 Three large copper measures, basin, 2-handle mug, a fire dog and part of ditto
- ✓ 367 Large copper jug and 2 small ditto
- ✓ 368 Fourteen old English brass candlesticks
- ✓ 369 Stained glass door, 60 by 39
- ✓ 370 Three ditto panels, 60 by 20, 40 by 25, 26 by 17
- ✓ 371 Two ditto, 66 by 32, 48 by 30
- ✓ 372 One ditto, iron frame 50 by 16
- ✓ 373 Sundry glass panels and damaged pieces
- ✓ 374 Pair of old Sheffield hot water stands

*A Collection of Old English Fire Insurance Signs.*

- ✓ 375 Ten old English fire insurance signs (various)
- 376 Ten ditto
- ✓ 377 Ten ditto
- ✓ 378 Ten ditto
- ✓ 379 Ten ditto
- ✓ 380 Ten ditto
- 70/- 381 Sixteen early English keys
- 1-0-0 382 Twenty-eight antique keys
- 1-0-0 383 Seventeen ditto
- 1-0-0 384 About 400 Chinese coins
- ✓ 385 About 400 ditto
- ✓ 386 - 6. About 800 old buttons with crests, etc. — ~~8.7~~
- ✓ 387 Six old decorated and inscribed maser bowls
- ✓ 388 Ditto
- ✓ 389 Ditto
- ✓ 390 Model of an early paddle steamship in ormolu and enamel with silver mountings
- ✓ 391 Two silver-mounted hair brushes, a cloth ditto, hand mirror, and inkpot
- ✓ 392 Silver belt, chatelaine, and paper knife, 20 (A.F.)
- 17/- 393 Two gilt chatelaines, necklet, purse, spectacle case, and figured bronze plate 18279
- 394 Antique silver-chased watch and part gold miniature frame 52194 23/- 11895
- ✓ 395

**Native Curios, Etc.**

- 70/- 396 Three New Zealand fish hooks and South Sea adze 18295
- 25/- 397 Old wooden African idol — £1-15-0-?
- ✓ 398 Two carved Indian tables
- ✓ 399 Two native swords in sheaths
- ✓ 400 Two rare Borneo swords, ditto
- 50/- 401 Two Kordofan hide shields
- 50/- 402 Two old Chinese soapstone figures — no.
- ✓ 403 Book of old Japanese paintings



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| ✓ 404 | Two Indian tulwars                                  |             |
| ✓ 405 | Old carved ivory African war trumpet                |             |
| ✓ 406 | Fine old stone Buddha (Jaen)                        |             |
| ✓ 407 | Two South American necklets                         | - 2 - 7 - 6 |
| ✓ 408 | Two ditto   | - 1 - - -   |
| ✓ 409 | Fine old English flintlock brass barrel blunderbuss |             |
| ✓ 410 | Six old Japanese snuff bottles                      |             |
| ✓ 411 | Various West African curios                         |             |

*Curios collected by a District Commissioner from the Upper Reaches of the Congo Basin while suppressing a Secret Society Rising.*

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| V    | 412   | Pair of magical gourds hung with poison<br>ordeal nuts, powerful charms and red sacred<br>earth |
| V    | 413   | Head witch doctor's Ju Ju with a dried<br>monkey's or child's hand on base                      |
| V    | 414   | Ditto with feathers, and another  |
| 787- | (415) | Bundle of bamboo medicine phials, horn<br>charms and net bags 5-1743                            |
| 307- | 416   | Four bamboo rattles used in rain making   |
| V    | 417   | Wood bell and a tobacco pipe  |
| V    | 418   | Rain makers rattle and a charm  |
| 37-  | 419   | Wood fetish <u>                    </u> 1 4. u.   |
| 257- | 420   | Three large pottery vessels and a carrying<br>basket  |
| V    | 420a  | Large wood mortar   |

## China, Weapons, and Metal Work.

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| ✓ 421 | Pair of Continental China bottles     |
| 422   | Ditto                                 |
| ✓ 423 | Figured Continental pot               |
| ✓ 424 | Two Chinese celadon vases             |
| ✓ 425 | Nine ivory netsukes and a Chinese box |
| ✓ 426 | Eight ditto, ditto                    |

- ✓ 427 Two Egyptian lamps and 2 ditto  
 ✓ 428 Persian urn, engraved, and a ditto large dish  
 ✓ 429 Four ivory tusks  
 ✓ 430 Antique Greek plate  
 ✓ 431 Set of 3 Indian weapons  
 ✓ 432 Ditto  
 ✓ 433 Ditto  
 ✓ 434 Antique Persian brass lamp and a ditto vase  
 ✓ 435 Three pieces of ditto  
 7.6 70/- 436 Antique Chinese vase and a bowl <sup>5220123/9</sup>  
 ✓ 437 Antique Chinese lustre bottle, very rare  
 50 85/- 438 Two Chinese carved boxes  
 439 Two figured Persian antique vases <sup>521990200</sup>  
 ✓ 440 *A pair of Persian brass stands engraved in silver  
with Arab inscription. 16th century*  
 37. 441 *Antique Rhodian jar* £ 9.10.0 ?  
 442 Four antique Persian tiles. 16th century  
 443 *Large Italian velvet embroidered bed spread, 17th  
or 18th century*  
 444 *Two antique solid brass inkstands, very rare*  
 445 Oriental shell and jade necklet and 2 bracelets  
 446 Quantity of pink coral, Pacific  
 447 King Bird of Paradise  
 448 Fine specimen Bird of Paradise, yellow and  
brown  
 449 Two ditto, dark  
 450 Two oval gilt frames (genuine Empire) con-  
taining Italian paintings  
 451 Two original cartoons, by Carruthers Gould  
(exceptional), framed in black and gold  
frames  
 452 Old Indian brass water wheel  
 453 Malay silver coffee tray, beautifully engraved  
 454 Stag's head and horns (10 points) mounted on  
oak shield, by Finlay of Ballater  
 455 Cash box containing collection of coins



- 456 Three pieces of spa, piece of natural amethyst and cairngorm
- 457 Large telescope, 2 antique ivory pocket telescopes, and curious metal casket
- 458 Pair of old brass candlesticks and 2 Japanese cigarette boxes
- 459 Twenty-five deeds and documents dating from 1800 to 1872, and 7 probates, 1668 to 1835, and 1 administration, 1803
- 460 Malay kris and cat-o'-nine tails
- 461 Three gold brooches, mounted with pearls
- 462 Various Greek, Roman, American, etc., coins and medals (many fine and rare)

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# Sale Announcements.

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**FRIDAY, MAY 16th:**

SCIENTIFIC & PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS & MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY.

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**TUESDAY, MAY 20th:**

BRITISH AND EXOTIC LEPIDOPTERA, BOOKS, CABINETS.

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**FRIDAY, MAY 23rd:**

MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY.

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**TUESDAY, MAY 27th:**

CHINA, BRONZES, IVORIES, WEAPONS,  
Etc.



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# Important to Trustees, Executors & others

Mr. J. C. STEVENS begs to call attention to the  
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Scientific, Electrical & Photographic Apparatus & Miscellanies { EVERY FRIDAY a Sale is held, which includes  
Microscopes, Telescopes, Cameras, Lenses, Lanterns, Cinematographs, Theodolites and Levels, & every class of Scientific Instrument; Lathes and Tools, Furniture, Silver Plate, Jewellery, Fishing Tackle & Sporting Requisites

Curios, China, Bronzes, Arms and Armour, Ivories, Ethnographical Specimens, etc. { A Sale is held on TUESDAYS twice in every month.

Natural History Specimens { MONTHLY Sales of Collections relating to Entomology, Zoology, Conchology, Minerals, Heads and Horns, Cabinets, etc.

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**Telephone No. 1824 Gerrard.**

**SALE No. 13,051.**

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**A CATALOGUE**  
OF  
**China, Bronzes, Carved Ivories**  
**COLOURED ENGRAVINGS,**  
**MINIATURES, OLD ENGLISH METAL WORK, STAINED**  
**GLASS, OLD ENGLISH FIRE INSURANCE SIGNS.**  
**ORIENTAL ARMS AND ARMOUR.**  
**Antique Rhodian Jar, Old Italian Velvet**  
**Bedsread.**  
**NATIVE CURIOS from the Congo & South Seas.**  
**Collection of African Native Currency,**  
**ETC.**  
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AT HIS GREAT ROOMS,  
**38, KING STREET, COVENT GARDEN, W.C. 2,**  
ON  
**TUESDAY, MAY 13th, 1919,**  
At **12.30**-o'clock precisely.

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On view Day Prior from 10 till 5, and Morning of Sale, and Catalogues on application of Mr. J. C. STEVENS, 38, King Street, Covent Garden, W.C. 2.

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# CATALOGUE.

TUESDAY, MAY 13th, at 12.30.

CONDITIONS OF SALE AS USUAL. A Copy is  
exhibited in Sale Room at time of Sale.

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Antique cut-glass bottle, 3 ditto knife rests, 2 ditto spoons, blue-and-white strainer, and an old table fan in case

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Pair of old bronze stirrups, pair of ditto spurs, and a powder flask

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Seven silver and other wine labels, and 5 other pieces

4

Antique bronze bell in shape of a lady, statuette Napoleon, small dagger, and a brass candlestick

5

"Bessie Bell and Mary Grey," curious chap book with coloured plate, and 11 others in one vol., and the "Seven Mistresses," dated 1702

6

Antique snuff box with gilt inlay, small carved wood plique, and 2 other pieces

7

Two fine old wood figures, carved and gilded

8

Antique gold miniature frame and a miniature on ivory in gold setting

9

Japanese stencils, 100 facsimile illustrations, and 6 pamphlets on Eastern subjects

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Four pieces of old Benares brass work

- 11 Collection of old valentines, now rare, in an album
- (20/-) 11/- (12) Twelve old Japanese books with coloured and other illustrations
- (20/-) 75/- (13) Four Japanese books of designs and 7 others
- 14 Grammar of Japanese Ornaments in 4 numbers, complete, with 58 plates, some in colours and gold
- 15 Two old Elizabethan grey beard jugs
- 16 Miniature mahogany chest of drawers
- 17 Ditto
- 18 Two miniature chairs with rush-bottom seats, and a ditto whatnot
- (20/-) 65/- (19) Collection of old parchment deeds from the reign of James I.
- 20 Number of old Japanese colour prints
- 18/- 10/- (21) Collection of early maps in colours, by Bleau Speed, etc.
- 14/- 15/- (22) Collection of early newspapers, London and various towns
- 23 Fur set of natural black musquash, tie and muff
- 24 Antique box, a shrine case, and an old wood carving
- (10/-) 12/- (25) Twelve old coloured maps, including Arras, dated 1651, others of Namur, Cambrai, dated 1710, etc.
- (20/-) 30/- (26) Album of old coloured and other engravings
- (25/-) 75/- (27) Four old silhouettes
- 28 Napoleon gold piece, Italy 40-lire, dated 1812
- 29 Two Victorian Gothic crowns, 1847, crown piece, Charles III. and William III.
- (55/-) 8. (30) *Collection of rare interesting items relating to the Post, letters of peers with specimens of signature for franking letters, original envelopes with early unperforated stamps, letter re gumming stamps signed by Sir Rowland Hill, in album*
- 31 Pair of plated fish servers, silver mounted
- 32 Kruger pound and half-sovereign of George III.
- 33 Four gold coins, U.S., and 6 silver coins



- 34 Forty old silver coins  
 35 Six old silhouettes  
 36 Very fine old mezzotint, dated 1787, gilt frame  
 37 Old Japanese pottery vase  
 38 Album of original drawings, 18th and early 19th centuries  
 39 Pair of old Delft drug jars 52194-95  
 40 Parcel of old Japanese colour prints, by Kuni-  
 sade, etc.  
 41 Mahogany case containing a number of silver  
 medals, Anne, George I., etc.  
 42 Album of Japanese prints  
 43 Collection of books relating to Old London,  
 City Companies, etc.  
 44 Parcel of old parchments from James I.  
 45 Patent granted by Charles I., with his Great  
 Seal attached, and embellished with a portrait  
 in sepia  
 46 State document signed by Charles II.  
 47 Two original drawings, attributed to Gains-  
 borough  
 48 Twelve best stories in the English language,  
 with autographs of authors inserted  
 49 Two Worcester cups (blue and white), old  
 Staffordshire mug, and 5 other pieces  
 50 Fifteen very fine Japanese colour prints  
 50a Real ermine lady's tie

### Engravings.

- 51 The Fern Gatherers, by Smith after G. Morland  
 52 A Stable Interior, by Smith after Morland  
 53 The Cottage Fireside, by Barnard after Mor-  
 land  
 54 The Gamester, by Ward after Peters  
 55 A Sailor in Port, by Knight after Singleton  
 56 A Shipwrecked Sailor Boy, by Gangain after  
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 57 A Storm in Harvest, by Meadows after  
 Westall

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- 58 A Philosopher Lecturing on the Orrery, by Wright after Pether
- 59 Cornelia of the Gracchi, by Bartolozzi after Titian
- 60 Mrs. Siddons as the Tragic Muse, after Reynolds
- 61 Mrs. Farren, after Reynolds
- 62 Portrait—Hely Hutchinson, by Turner after Corbett
- 63 Portrait—Hon. Chas. Montagu, by Smith after Kneller
- 64 Master Lambton, after Lawrence
- 65 Three Cherubs, after Reynolds
- 66 Cleopatra and Antony, by Burke after Kauffman
- 67 Landscape and Figures, by Westall
- 68 A figure subject in red, by Bartolozzi
- 69 The Racehorse—"Escape"
- 70 A figure subject, after Greuze, and another—Cupid
- 71 Two Children and Dog in landscape, and Ann Page
- 72 Proof, after Meissonier, by E. Chicquet

### **Ivory Carvings.**

- 73 Ivory figure—God of Plenty holding a fan and carrying bag
- 74 *Finely carved ivory group—Goddess seated on a fish and figure carrying rake*
- 75 An ivory figure—Warrior holding a spear
- 76 *Finely carved ivory figure—Geisha girl cutting flowers*
- 77 An ivory figure with tortoises, etc.
- 78 Large ivory group—Gardener and two children
- 79 Ditto group—Fisherman carrying basket of fish and two children
- 80 Another group—Gardener and two children
- 81 Finely carved ivory cigarette case



- 82 A similar cigarette case
- 83 A roin. shrine with carved figure of Buddha, carved all over with dragons, Ho Ho birds, figures, etc., on black and gold wood stand
- 84 Fine quality ivory group—Japanese Lady with children on rocks
- 85 An ivory figure with samisen
- 86 Two figures—Man feeding chicken, and a gardener with basket of fruit
- 87 *Exceptionally fine ivory figure—Fisherman with basket of fish*
- 88 A bridge of carved ivory elephants on stand

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- 89 Three Chinese carved amethyst pendants
- 90 A similar lot
- 91 A similar lot
- 92 Three Chinese carved pendants
- 93 A similar lot
- 94 A similar lot
- 95 An amber necklet
- 96 Antique Chinese lacquer jewel casket
- 97 Fine old English teapoy, top inlaid mother-o'-pearl, and painted
- 98 Chinese cabinet, lacquered red, hand-painted interior, barrel shape, on stand
- 99 China basket centre piece with handle
- 60/- (100) *Georgian umbrella with ivory handle, whalebone ribs, silk cover; splendid condition* 52693

### English & Continental China, Bronzes, etc.

- 101 A particularly fine old opal glass jug, with handle of jade green colour, and the pair of goblets en suite
- 102 Pair of old English heavily cut glass decanters, of rare quality, with the stoppers
- 103 Pair of solid bronze and marble tazzas, with Amorini decoration

- 104 Large papier mache tea tray, with gold decoration
- 105 An early English mahogany work table with drawers
- 106 Beautifully carved ivory panel, enclosed in gilt case
- 107 Black lac workbox, inlaid mother-o'-pearl
- 108 Ditto, finely formed, with elaborate Chinese decoration
- 109 Fine old mahogany newspaper rack, having turned rails and fretwork panels
- 110 Rare old Worcester breakfast service, finely painted in flowers (50 pieces)
- 111 Pair of richly chased alms dishes
- 112 Louis XV. ormolu watch stand, and pair of cut glass flower tubes on hall-marked silver stands
- 113 Cleverly carved ivory figure of Christ on ebony crucifix
- 114 Antique needlework picture, framed
- 115 Early English steel and ormolu serpentine fender with implements
- 116 Carved Louis XVI. style boudoir or display table, with shaped and polished plate-glass top
- 117 Three red lac boxes, lac bowl, and 2 lac spill boxes
- 118 Early English lac card tray, painted in flowers with ormolu handle, and a lac box with Chinese decoration
- 119 Three rare old cut glass beer mugs
- 120 Two early Italian faience stands and a ditto plaque
- 121 Dresden vase and cover, handsomely painted in colours
- 122 Polished cocoanut on brass stand, a blue on white Wedgwood dish, and a carved stone Chinese figure
- 123 Early Chinese porcelain teapot, in basket cosey
- 124 Pair of cabinet size photo frames in bronze and ormolu



- 125 A 20-in. Elkington plate dish cover
- 126 Pair of wooden pedestals with jesso decoration
- 127 Bracelet of 11 real opals
- 128 Diamond ring, set with 3 brilliants of excellent quality
- 129 Old Lowestoft china tea set, with armorials
- 130 Pair of beautifully modelled Dresden groups
- 131 Rare old cut glass fruit dish on massive solid bronze stand
- 132 Diamond pendant
- 133 Handsome pair of ormolu pillar 4-light candelabra, on tripod feet
- 134 Old English cut and engraved glass rose bowl on bronze tripod stand
- 135 Very cleverly carved antique Burmese table
- 136 Rare carved sandal-wood figure of Burmese goddess, 40in. high
- 137 Pair of antique Benares vases, 18in. high
- 138 Pair of bronze Benares vases with covers
- 139 Antique Benares vase and bowl
- 140 Very fine Chinese bronze stand, supporting a rare glass bowl exquisitely decorated in lac
- 141 Pair of very rare old Satsuma vases (2ft. high), with handles in the form of birds
- 142 Exceptionally fine pair of antique bronze and sienna marble 4-light candelabra
- 143 Pair of very rare white Dresden reticulated compotiers
- 144 Beautiful old Staffs openwork fruit dish, skilfully painted in flowers
- 145 Cloisonne vase, famille verte bowl, small Dresden plate, and 2 small old Chinese bowls
- 146 Old turquoise Bohemian glass vase (most rare)
- 147 Inkstand on ormolu tray, 3 openwork plates, pair of wickerwork flower tubes, and very old Dresden plaque
- 148 Choice old Chinese plaque, with birds and flowers in gold and colours

- 149 Early Chinese blue on white pilgrim bottle
- 150 Rare old Chinese pilgrim bottle
- 151 Antique Persian brass incense sprinkler (very fine shape)

### **A Collection of Choice Carved Ivories.**

- 152 Man feeding bird with fish ( $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 153 Man with tortoise (5in. high) and the stand
  - 154 Group of 3 figures, acrobats (5in. high) and the stand
  - 155 Man with book and fan ( $4\frac{3}{4}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 156 Man carrying basket and a boy ( $4\frac{1}{4}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 157 Man carrying fish ( $3\frac{3}{4}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 158 Man with basket, boy and bird (4in. high) and the stand
  - 159 Man with sunshade ( $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 160 Man with scythe, bag on back (5in. high), and the stand
  - 161 Man with boy and musical instrument (4in. high) and the stand
  - 162 Group of 3 figures (4in. high) and the stand
  - 163 Man with axe, carrying faggots (5in.), and the stand
  - 164 Boatman with boy (4in. high) and the stand
  - 165 Man carrying basket (4in. high) and the stand
  - 166 Group of 3 figures ( $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. high) and the stand
  - 167 Group of 2 figures (4in. high) and the stand
  - 168 Group of 3 figures, acrobats (5in. high) and the stand
  - 169 Man with pagoda ( $4\frac{3}{4}$ in. high) and the stand
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- 170 Early Chinese blue on white bowl, and 2 saucers
  - 171 Old Satsuma stand, decoration in gold and colours



- 172 Chinese plaque, a plate, 4 others, 2 Spode  
tureens, 3 Doulton jugs
- 173 Walnut wood inkstand with drawer, and 2  
cut glass inkwells, and 4 pieces of white  
porcelain
- 174 Old Sheffield candlestick with old bell-shaped  
glass shade, on base of heavy cut crystal  
glass
- 175 Pair of antique Spanish terra-cotta decorated  
figures, exceptionally finely modelled
- 176 Chippendale mahogany banner screen with  
coat of arms, illuminated on vellum and  
framed
- 177 Pair of very early French enamel candlesticks  
and a pair of old brass ditto
- 178 Hague lustre cup and saucer, and an Amster-  
dam lustre sugar basin and butter dish  
(marked)
- 179 Pair of Delft specimen flower stands and a  
Delft vase
- 180 Pair of Chinese blue on white vases and  
covers, very beautiful colour (2oin. high)

### **Miniatures on Ivory.**

- 181 Military portrait, framed
- 182 Clever portrait of gentleman
- 183 Lady with bird, in ormolu frame
- 184 Lady with jug, in ormolu frame
- 185 Portrait of famous beauty, framed
- 186 *Exceedingly clever portrait of gentleman, in ormolu  
frame*
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- 187 Three old English bead purses
- 188 Pair of old English cut glass flower tubes, on  
marble bases
- 189 Very fine early Chinese bowl and cover, with  
massive ormolu mounts
- 190 Antique wine goblet, old Waterford glass salt  
cellar, old china figure, pair of crystal glass  
knife rests, and 12 other items of old glass

- 191 Solid cast brass lamp, fitted electric
- 192 Another to match
- 30/- 193 Fine old Persian heavily cut glass hookah, solid bronze fittings
- 194 Solid bronze candlestick
- 195 Fine old Chippendale mirror, with carved and gilt surmount
- 196 Antique brass oil lamp, on onyx base and pillar
- 197 Chippendale carved mahogany easel and a studio ditto
- 198 Collection of old English cast iron door stops
- 199 Proof engraving—Fairy Tales, after W. C. T. Dobson, A.R.A., by J. J. Chant, in gilt frame
- 200 Very fine massive antique ormolu 12-light Louis chandelier (in perfect condition)
- 5/- 60/- 201 A rare Dyak short sword with elaborately carved handle and fitted with a fine old German blade with armourer's mark and dated 1774, in horn-mounted wooden sheath
- 12/- 16/- 202 A fine specimen Malay kris
6. 203 A Pasha's scimitar in elaborate silver and enamel scabbard, the hilt of ivory with silver ram's head guards and terminal; a fine and rare specimen
- 25/- 40/- 204 A rare old wheel-lock, finely engraved 53916
- 205 A Claymore
- 20/- 7/- 206 Curious long-barrelled rifle with inlaid butt and brass mounted 21156
- 11/- 10/- 207 Rare dancing mask of unusual character, fitted with deer's antlers and gold cased 21349
- 208 A finely carved jade boat and carved wood stand
- 209 Two animals in carved jade and stand for same
- 210 A carved jade horse and carved wood stand
- 211 A beautifully carved amethyst horse of fine colour and carved wood stand for same



- 212 Two finely carved amethyst pendants
- 213 Two ditto
- 214 Two ditto
- 215 Curious old tapestry picture of a saint in frame
- 216 Six old sweet-toned clock bells
- 217 Two old wax miniatures in frames
- 218 Old oil painting—Fruit
- 219 Sixteen rows of bead, onyx, coral, etc.
- 220 Four curious old flintlock pistols 53947-49
- 221 Pair of important carved wood Ming pictures
- 222 A silver-mounted dagger
- 223 A rare old Burmese carved ivory figure 51564
- 224 Three enamel watch dials
- 225 Four silver medals
- 226 A silver tray and 3 cups and 3 spoons; fine repousse work
- 227 Silver cup and spoon
- 228 Miniature portrait—Lady Hamilton, in carved and gilt frame
- 229 A finely painted miniature on ivory—Child and bird, by F. Rochand, 1829, in ormolu mount and leather case
- 230 *Exquisite enamel portrait of a young man, by J. T. Mitchell, R.A., exhibited at Royal Academy, 1824, in finely chased ormolu mount and carved and gilt frame; a fine specimen of this celebrated enameller and painter's work*
- 231 A fine bronze—The Italian Boy
- 232 Three blue-ground Rockingham vases
- 233 Two curious Oriental vases (A.F.)
- 234 Portrait—E. Long, R.A.
- 235 Quantity of oddments, shells, etc., in leather case
- 236 Two well-modelled anchors
- 237 Two pictures 118068
- 238 Curious Indian hanging and 3 items
- 239 Five curious native implements

- 240 Carved ivory figure (A.F.)
- 241 Miniature portrait of a lady in ormolu mount
- 242 Two finely painted miniatures—Philip and Mary, in ormolu mounts
- 243 *Beautiful aquamarine brooch, surrounded by diamonds*
- 244 *Hair ornament in shape of sword, set with diamonds and other stones*
- 245 Gold bracelet set with stones
- 246 Plain curb ditto, with padlock
- 247 Ormolu box with miniature
- 248 Ivory figure (Nelson) on stand and mother-o'-pearl box
- 249 Fine diamond and turquoise gipsy ring, mounted 18-ct. gold
- 250 Silver and enamel watch expanding bracelet

### **Japanese Lacquer Work, Carvings, etc.**

- 251 Two round lac card trays, inlaid with silver dragons
- 252 Large oblong tray, decorated in silver butterflies
- 253 Ditto inlaid, with large silver dragon
- 254 Another decorated in storks, etc.
- 255 Two oblong trays, inlaid with flowers in colours
- 256 Six pierced fans
- 257 Two oriental figures of Buddha
- 258 Rare carved ivory group—Shoki and devils
- 259 Another group—Five devils
- 260 *Very fine large ivory group—Goddess and figures*
- 261 Long chain agate necklet
- 262 Ditto
- 263 Four necklets, various
- 264 Very fine Japanese lacquer box, with panel lid decorated with eagle in gold lac, with black and gold tray inside and basket work, etc.



- 265 Rare carved wood figure—Shoki holding sword  
 266 Large silvered model of a tiger, and wood stand  
 267 Small ditto  
 268 Collection of 50 old Japanese coloured prints

### Satsuma Ware.

- 269 Old Satsuma tea set of 9 pieces  
 270 Four Satsuma bowls and frog mug  
 271 Four fine quality Satsuma egg cups  
 272 Royal Satsuma incense burner and stand (signed)  
 273 Two miniature royal Satsuma incense burners and stands (signed)  
 274 Satsuma incense burner, with metal cover on stand  
 275 Satsuma bowl, painted inside 1,000 butterflies  
 276 Pair of Agate glass vases and an old Chelsea leaf dish  
 277 Pair of Satsuma vases and pair miniature ditto  
 278 French pot pourri vase and pair of Derby dessert plates (A.F. 1 plate)

### Oriental Weapons and Curios.

- Collection of 12 curious African daggers and knives 53950-60  
 Carved club of solid rhino horn, from East Africa  
 281 African pottery bowl, New Guinea limepot, ditto knife with European blade, and ditto pillow  
 282 Idol from Mexico  
 283 Two fine Indian hill tribe battle axes  
 284 Two ditto axes  
 285 Indian rajar's baton solid silver, chased and gilt  
 286 Curious Indian damascened double katar, one fitting on the other 53961

What is this like

- 287 Indian battle axe, the haft of brass  
 288 Battle mace, with ball and spike head  
 289 Four small Malay daggers  
 290 Indian hide shield, with ornamental brass decoration  
 291 Indian short sword with hand guard, the blade engraved with figures  
 292 Curious flintlock Eastern gun, with chased mounts 21155  
 293 Indian hill tribe matchlock gun  
 294 Ditto gun  
 295 Curious old matchlock gun, the barrel inlaid  
 296 Ditto gun 21157  
 297 Old French dagger with engraved blade, in ornamental sheath  
 298 Fine Persian spear head and another with double blade 574404-5  
 299 Persian steel battle axe, engraved and inlaid  
 300 Old flintlock Waterloo musket  
 301 Ditto musket  
 302 Antique flintlock pistol, the butt inlaid  
 303 Four old Japanese swords  
 304 Fine Nepalese sacrificial knife, the blade decorated with the Buddhist symbol of the human eye  
 305 Old Turkish horn bow of large proportions, and bundle of arrows  
 306 Fine war gong of hammered iron, from West Africa 16712  
 307 Old Japanese sword in carved ivory sheath  
 308 Three guns  
 309 Four old Japanese swords  
 310 Three Indian swords  
 311 Antique Indian hide shield, with ornamental bosses  
 312 Large ancient Saracenic wood board, with carved Cufic inscription  
 313 Flintlock small blunderbuss, barrel decorated with raised silver work



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*Curious Chinese gun, with barrel and mounts inlaid with silver* 21159

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Chinese mandarin's helmet of gilt hide

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Indian temple chain of bronze, figures of deities, &c., at intervals

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Ancient Indian black stone temple carving or talisman, set with stones

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Elizabethan morion in exceptionally fine preservation, exceptionally high combe

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Turkish yataghan from the Balkans

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*American sword of honour or patriotic sword, scabbard and blade engraved with American emblems and motto on blade, "E. plunibus unum"*

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Officer's regulation infantry sword, Peninsular period

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Officer's regulation infantry sword Peninsular and Waterloo period (the shell guard has been added later)

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Ditto (no scabbard or shield)

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Court sword, William IV., by Moore of Bond Street

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Early Victorian court sword, by Buckmaster, with sword knot

### **The First Portion of a Collection of Old Native Currency, now very rare and unobtainable.**

#### **African Section.**

326

Iron carving in the form of a huge spear head (Ngbele), used for buying wives. Lokele, Lomaimi River, Congo

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Belgian Congo—2 currency spears

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Ditto, ditto, different types

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French Congo—spear, all iron

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Welli District—copper Hoe money 53800

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Two pieces of iron Hoe money—Congo 53801/2

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Two pieces of Celt money 53802-04

- 333 Two Congo copper currency knives  
 334 S. Nigeria—large brass currency spear 21161  
 335 Two iron knives, used only as money 65807000  
 336 S.W. Africa—Iron "axe" money 53004  
 337 Ditto, string of large shell and wood cylinders  
 338 Massive copper ring money from Bonny and pieces of "Manilla" ring money — Old Calabar 53005  
 339 Very rare string of large discs of land snail shells  
 340 Specimens of "armlet" money, ivory and metal  
 341 Mendiland iron money (Kissi), 4 specimens various 53812-15  
 342 Piece of Bushango currency matting and a currency mat  
 343 Series of African shell currency, mounted  
 344 Tingoise agate currency beads, Monbuttu money, etc., mounted 116247  
 345 Tobacco block from East Africa and a coil of S. Congo tobacco, both used for barter  
 346 Specimens of raw rubber—Guaququil (Brazil), and Congo, Belgian, and Portuguese  
 347 Box of various currency pieces

(NOTE.—The second portion of this Collection—Eastern, American, and Oceania—will be included in a later sale.)

- 7/10 - Holman 5. 348  
 349 Two knives made of human bone, and 3 adze blades of shell form—Malecula Island, New Hebrides 117023  
 350 Three sling stones from New Caledonia 52176  
 351 Pair of Japanese swords (Daisho) in lacquer sheaths  
 352 Two Japanese short swords (one in lacquer sheath) and an Sudanese sword in leather  
 353 Long Japanese sword (Katani) with good blade

- 354 Sword by Fromin in scabbard with leather belt, two swords by Wilkinson, and a Crimean bayonet 53962 1/-  
 355 Pair of small metal tazzas on ebonised plinths, pair of brass candlesticks, metal ornament, and a carved wood fan holder  
 356 Pair of carved wood stilts. Marquesas Is.  
 357 Two small French miniatures on ivory, unframed, and an interesting document—French Empire awarding medal for services rendered in Crimea, 1854/6  
 358 Miniature set of 7 pieces — replicas of mediæval armour  
 359 Finely carved ivory group of 8 elephants crossing bridge, on black wood stand  
 360 Well-finished carved ivory group—Man with children peeling fruit, with stand  
 360a Small ivory carving—Woman and child

### Old English Metal Work, Stained Glass, Etc.

- 361 An old English copper urn  
 362 Ditto  
 363 Ditto  
 364 Ten pewter tankards, coffee pot, teapot, hot water jug, ewer, mustard, and 2 salts  
 365 Antique bucket, bronze Christ, and 5 articles  
 366 Three large copper measures, basin, 2-handle mug, a fire dog and part of ditto  
 367 Large copper jug and 2 small ditto  
 368 Fourteen old English brass candlesticks  
 369 Stained glass door, 60 by 39  
 370 Three ditto panels, 60 by 20, 40 by 25, 26 by 17  
 371 Two ditto, 66 by 32, 48 by 30  
 372 One ditto, iron frame 50 by 16  
 373 Sundry glass panels and damaged pieces  
 374 Pair of old Sheffield hot water stands



*A Collection of Old English Fire Insurance Signs.*

- 375 Ten old English fire insurance signs (various)  
 376 Ten ditto  
 377 Ten ditto  
 378 Ten ditto  
 379 Ten ditto  
 380 Ten ditto  
 381 Sixteen early English keys 53816-21  
 382 Twenty-eight antique keys 53822-29  
 383 16 Seventeen ditto 53828-31  
 384 About 400 Chinese coins  
 385 About 400 ditto  
 386 About 800 old buttons with crests, etc. 52198  
 387 Six old decorated and inscribed maser bowls 51601  
 388 Ditto 51602  
 389 Ditto 51603  
 390 Model of an early paddle steamship in ormolu and enamel with silver mountings IN 54114  
 391 Two silver-mounted hair brushes, a cloth ditto, hand mirror, and inkpot  
 392 Silver belt, chatelaine, and paper knife, 20 (A.F.)  
 393 Two gilt chatelaines, necklet, purse, spectacle case, and figured bronze plate 52197  
 394 Antique silver-chased watch and part gold miniature frame  
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**Native Curios, Etc.**

- 396 Three New Zealand fish hooks and South Sea adze  
 397 Old wooden African idol  
 398 Two carved Indian tables  
 399 Two native swords in sheaths 21162 317121  
 400 Two rare Borneo swords, ditto  
 401 Two Kordofan hide shields  
 402 Two old Chinese soapstone figures Reliquary Brown  
 403 Book of old Japanese paintings 20431.

- 404 Two Indian tulwars  
405 Old carved ivory African war trumpet  
406 Fine old stone Buddha (Jaen) 5 2202  
407 Two South American necklets  
408 Two ditto  
409 Fine old English flintlock brass barrel  
blunderbuss  
410 Six old Japanese snuff bottles  
411 Various West African curios (51941) 52

*Curios collected by a District Commissioner from the Upper Reaches of the Congo Basin while suppressing a Secret Society Rising.*

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| 412  | Pair of magical gourds hung with poison<br>ordeal nuts, powerful charms and red sacred<br>earth |
| 413  | Head witch doctor's Ju Ju with a dried<br>monkey's or child's hand on base                      |
| 414  | Ditto with feathers, and another  |
| 415  | Bundle of bamboo medicine phials, horn<br>charms and net bags                                   |
| 416  | Four bamboo rattles used in rain making   |
| 417  | Wood bell and a tobacco pipe  |
| 418  | Rain makers rattle and a charm  |
| 419  | Wood fetish   |
| 420  | Three large pottery vessels and a carrying<br>basket  |
| 420a | Large wood mortar   |

## China, Weapons, and Metal Work.

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| 421 | Pair of Continental China bottles     |
| 422 | Ditto                                 |
| 423 | Figured Continental pot               |
| 424 | Two Chinese celadon vases             |
| 425 | Nine ivory netsukes and a Chinese box |
| 426 | Eight ditto, ditto                    |

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- ✓ 427 Two Egyptian lamps and 2 ditto  
 ✓ 428 Persian urn, engraved, and a ditto large dish  
 ✓ 429 Four ivory tusks  
 ✓ 430 Antique Greek plate  
 ✓ 431 Set of 3 Indian weapons  
 ✓ 432 Ditto  
 ✓ 433 Ditto  
 ✓ 434 Antique Persian brass lamp and a ditto vase  
 ✓ 435 Three pieces of ditto <sup>5220123/9</sup>  
 2-7-6 70/- 436 Antique Chinese vase and a bowl  
 ✓ 437 Antique Chinese lustre bottle, very rare  
 ✓ 438 Two Chinese carved boxes  
 43-00 85/- 439 Two figured Persian antique vases <sup>521990200</sup>  
 ✓ 440 *A pair of Persian brass stands engraved in silver  
with Arab inscription. 16th century*  
 79/- 441 *Antique Rhodian jar* ———— £ 9.10.0  
 442 Four antique Persian tiles. 16th century  
 443 *Large Italian velvet embroidered bed spread, 17th  
or 18th century*  
 444 *Two antique solid brass inkstands, very rare*  
 445 Oriental shell and jade necklet and 2 bracelets  
 446 Quantity of pink coral, Pacific  
 447 King Bird of Paradise  
 448 Fine specimen Bird of Paradise, yellow and  
brown  
 449 Two ditto, dark  
 450 Two oval gilt frames (genuine Empire) con-  
taining Italian paintings  
 451 Two original cartoons, by Carruthers Gould  
(exceptional), framed in black and gold  
frames  
 452 Old Indian brass water wheel  
 453 Malay silver coffee tray, beautifully engraved  
 454 Stag's head and horns (10 points) mounted on  
oak shield, by Finlay of Ballater  
 455 Cash box containing collection of coins



- 25/- 20/- 456 ✓ Three pieces of spa, piece of natural amethyst and cairngorm
- 60/- 95/- 457 ✓ Large telescope, 2 antique ivory pocket telescopes, and curious metal casket
- 458 Pair of old brass candlesticks and 2 Japanese cigarette boxes
- 25/- 20/- 459 ✓ Twenty-five deeds and documents dating from 1800 to 1872, and 7 probates, 1668 to 1835, and 1 administration, 1803
- 25/- 50/- 460 ✓ Malay kris and cat-o'-nine tails
- 461 Three gold brooches, mounted with pearls
- 462 Various Greek, Roman, American, etc., coins and medals (many fine and rare)

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**TUESDAY, MAY 20th:**

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**FRIDAY, MAY 23rd:**

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